

## PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE <u>11 Dec 59</u>	2. LOCATION <u>E of Hawaiian Islands</u>	12. CONCLUSIONS <input type="checkbox"/> Was Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Balloon  <input type="checkbox"/> Was Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Aircraft  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Was Astronomical Meteor <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Astronomical  <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> Insufficient Data for Evaluation <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
3. DATE-TIME GROUP  Local _____  GMT <u>11/1308Z &amp; 1318Z</u>	4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION  <input type="checkbox"/> Ground-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Ground-Radar <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Intercept Radar	
5. PHOTOS  <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	6. SOURCE  <u>Military</u>	
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION  <u>flash</u>	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS  <u>one</u>	9. COURSE  <u>N/A</u>
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING  Brilliant flash at 5-6 thousand feet. One observer believed caused by meteor.		11. COMMENTS  The flash, was probably the entry of a meteor into the earth's atmosphere where it broke up.

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TEXT CIRVIS REPORT X M-11089 SIGHTED UNIDENTIFIED OBJECT X X  
BROKE ATMOSPHERE M IN BLINDING FLASH AT 2730N 14855W AT 11/1308Z X M-44066  
CONFIRMS SIGHTING ALSO UNQUOTE

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CIRVIC EVALUATION - CIRVIC REPT. CO-PILOT OBSERVED BRIGHT  
WHITE ILLUMINATION BEHIND CLOUD' BELOW 3,000 FT. LASTED 1 TO 2 SECONDS  
NO OBJECT VISIBLE - OBSERVER BELIEVE' CAUSED BY METEOR. EVALUATION -  
ENTER ENTRY. MAJ PAUL ROBERT D.I.

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AF IN : 20135 (18 Dec 59) A/N/cmn

ACTION: CIN

INFO : ARMY, NAVY, JCS, OSD, NSA, CIA, CMC, OOP, SAFS, OOP-CP

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TO : CINCPACAF  
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DTG : 181300Z Dec 59

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CIRVIS Evaluation for sightings by MATS T-10180 and MATS T-44062. Both crews observed same falling object 15 seconds in clear weather. T-180 saw blue object break into 3 pieces, no tail. T-062 observed long blue tail behind very bright object. Evaluated as meteor entry.

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NOTE : Advance copy delivered OOP-CP and CIN.

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AF IN : 13140 (11 Dec 59) A/N/ken

ACTION : CIN

INFO : OOP, OOP-CP, ARMY, NAVY, JCS, OSD, NSA, CIA, CMC, SAFS

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CIRVIS Evaluation - CIRVIS Rept. Co-Pilot observed bright white illumination behind clouds below 8,000 ft. Lasted 1 to 2 seconds no object visible - observer believes caused by Meteor. Evaluation - Meter entry. Maj Paul Roberts D.I.

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